**To:** Hemsley, Jennifer[Hemsley.Jennifer@epa.gov]

From: Flaks, Art

**Sent:** Fri 8/14/2015 6:20:33 PM

Subject: Re: Travel funding for Gold King Mine study team

Excellent!! Thanks.

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 14, 2015, at 1:57 PM, Hemsley, Jennifer < Hemsley. Jennifer@epa.gov > wrote:

Art, I've already met with Bob regarding the Regions travel. It has turn out the Regions has to pay for their own travel (site) unless they didn't have any funds at all. Due to the pending OSWER Memo. The only funding we'll be pay for is Shahid. I hope that helps.

From: Flaks, Art

Sent: Friday, August 14, 2015 1:46 PM

To: Hemsley, Jennifer

Subject: Fwd: Travel funding for Gold King Mine study team

Hey Jennifer, can you please go by and give bob the latest on this. Thanks a lot!!!

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Jennings, Robert" < Jennings.Robert@epa.gov >

Date: August 14, 2015 at 12:35:56 PM EDT

To: "Flaks, Art" < Flaks. Art@epa.gov >, "Hemsley, Jennifer"

<Hemsley.Jennifer@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Travel funding for Gold King Mine study team

Jennifer: Can I get status?

Art/Jennifer: Is this OBE given the pending memo?

Thanks,

From: Flaks, Art

Sent: Thursday, August 13, 2015 5:11 PM

To: Hemsley, Jennifer

Cc: Stalcup, Dana; Jennings, Robert; Washington, Deborah; Lampkin, Gloria;

Heimerman, Jeffrey

Subject: Fwd: Travel funding for Gold King Mine study team

Jennifer, please coordinate this with Dana/ARD tomorrow. Hopefully, this turns out to be site travel (where we have a large unused balance right now). If it turns out that non-site travel is required, office-wide we have plenty of funds remaining (but as Dana indicates we may need to move money around between divisions and branches). Please loop bob in on this to make sure we keep him up to speed. Thanks.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Stalcup, Dana" < Stalcup.Dana@epa.gov>

**Date:** August 13, 2015 at 5:03:14 PM EDT

**To:** "Jennings, Robert" < <u>Jennings.Robert@epa.gov</u>>, "Flaks, Art"

<<u>Flaks.Art@epa.gov</u>>, "Vandenburg, Amy" <<u>Vandenburg.Amy@epa.gov</u>>,

"Hemsley, Jennifer" < Hemsley. Jennifer@epa.gov>

Cc: "Woolford, James" < Woolford.James@epa.gov>, "Gardner, Monica"

< Gardner. Monica@epa.gov >, "Fitz-James, Schatzi" < Fitz-

James.Schatzi@epa.gov>, "Wells, Suzanne" < Wells.Suzanne@epa.gov>,

"Mahmud, Shahid" <Mahmud.Shahid@epa.gov>

Subject: Travel funding for Gold King Mine study team

## Bob and RMD friends

You may be aware that we have been asked to mobilize a team to do a quick study of the release at the Gold King Mine site in Region 8. I believe that Jim has agreed to pay the travel for the 5 team members, only one of whom is in OSRTI (Shahid Mahmud); the others are in the Regions. They are planning to travel Sunday, so we plan to assist with the TAs tomorrow. I don't yet know whether this can be site travel or must be non-site. Also Jennifer told me that ARD is low on travel but hopefully OSRTI has enough overall to cover. Schatzi and I will coordinate with RMD tomorrow. Thanks - Dana

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